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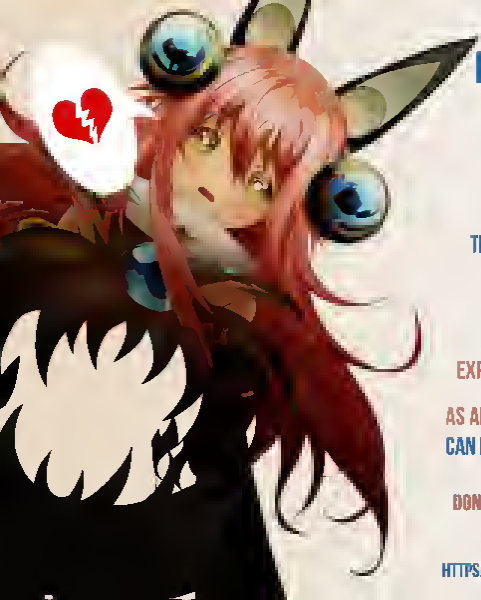

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HAH?
WHAT TH—
SFX fwoosh
SFX bam
GYA AH?!
SFX drag

SFX: creak
...ISN'T IT
...NOBUNAGA?
WHERE DID YOU GET POWER LIKE THAT?
SFX: phhn
!
SFX: gloop / clang
LEAVE THE QUESTIONS FOR LATER.
RIGHT NOW WE HAVE TO HURRY UP AND ESCAPE FROM HERE.

SFX tap tap
LOOK AT THAT, MITSUHIDE!
HU HA HA!
SFX zssh

NOBUNAGA TOOK THE BAIT!
THE PIT VIPER MUST BE GOING SENILE TO ALWAYS DOTE ON AN IDIOT LIKE THIS!
...THE IDIOT IS YOU.
DO YOU THINK I CAME HERE NONCHALANTLY BY MYSELF WITHOUT ANY CHANCE OF WINNING?
WHAT?!
SFX shhh
DAMMIT!
DON'T SPOUT OFF THAT CHEEKY BULLSHIT!
I'M GONNA KILL YOU!!
SFX float
...WHAT THE HELL?
I've been silently listening since earlier
THAT GUY HAS A BIG MOUTH.
OI, KARIN, LET'S KILL 'IM.
NO!
Don't talk to me like we're friends, idiot!

HOLD ON!!
YOSHITATSU... PLEASE!
THE QUESTION OF MINO HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH OWARI, DOES IT?
CAN'T YOU AT LEAST OVERLOOK NOBUNAGA?
...HAH?!
ARE YOU... FUCKING KIDDING ME?! WHO THE FUCK WOULD LISTEN TO THAT STUPID REQUEST?!
AREN'T YOU UNDER-ESTIMATING ME?!
HA HA HA
INCREDIBLE, YOSHITATSU IT SEEMS YOU'VE STOPPED BEING AN IDIOT WITHOUT ME NOTICING
DON'T FUCK WITH ME!!
Dousan-san...

He's trying to draw attention to himself on purpos...!
However,
as expected, it's not working on that Mitsuhide
and those eyes that seem to see through everything.
HMPH.
THOSE EYES ARE GETTING ME FIRED UP!
ALRIGHT, I'VE GOT IT. I'LL BATHE IN THAT GUY'S BLOOD!
STOP IT. I TOLD YOU THERE WOULD BE NO BLOOD-SHED!!

Could he truly be a fool?
Don't tell me he came here all alone when the sensible tactic would have been to bring troops.
He is difficult to understand.
Oda Nobunaga.
No, that's not the case.
SFX shock
!?
I'm going to borrow this, Nobunaga!
I am certain that he has set up some kind of trap!

STOP.
IF YOU TWO MOVE, THOSE TWO WILL BE CAUGHT IN A BEE'S NEST.
DOUSAN-DONO! WHAT ARE YOU DOING...?
DON'T MOVE!!
SFX: tap tap
HA HA HA!
SFX: swi
HEY, MY IDIOT SON, LET'S SEE IF I'M RIGHT.
YOU'RE SCARED, AREN'T YOU?
YOU FOLLOW THAT SORT OF TREND.

FUCKING PIT VIPER!
I'M GOING TO KILL YOU!!
WELL, SO GO AHEAD AND TRY IT.
YOSHI-TATSU-SAMA.
SHUT UP!
STAND BACK, MITSUHIDE!
I'LL DO IT!
IF YOU GET IN MY WAY, I'LL KILL YOU TOO!!
.....

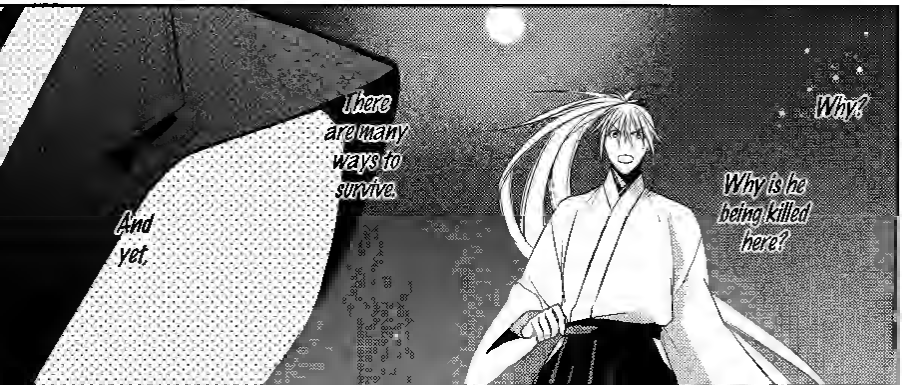
—NOBU-
NAGA,
Whisper
RUN AWAY WHEN YOSHITATSU COMES AT ME.
!?
DON'T BE STUPID, I CAME TO SAVE YOU, DIDN'T I?
NOBUNAGA,
I'M SORRY, BUT THIS IS A PROBLEM WITH MY SON.
DON'T INTERFERE.

—YOU'RE A PATHETIC EXCUSE FOR A SON.
THE HELL YOU SAY...?!
SHUT UP! SHUT THE FUCK UP!!
I WAS THE ONE WHO CAPTURED YOU!
I WAS THE ONE WHO STOLE MINO'S SOVEREIGNTY,
AND I'M THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO KILL YOU RIGHT NOW.
THE PATHETIC ONE IS YOU!!
IN THAT CASE,
CAN YOU KILL ME?
YOU CAN'T, CAN YOU? YOU DON'T HAVE THE GUTS TO FACE ME.
SHUT UP.
IF YOU'RE SAYING YOU DO, THEN

UO
OOAAAAGH
come and try to kill me!!
DOUSAN-DONO!
WATCH OUT.
!?

SFX spurt
SFX slash
KUH.
AAAAARGH
SFX spurt spurt

DOUSAN-DONO!!
DON'T COME ANY CLOSER!
GO, NOBUNAGA.


Why?
Why is he being killed here?
There are many ways to survive.
And yet,

STOP IT.
why is he throwing his life away here?
SFX shhf shhf
SFX Kssh
DON'T YOU DARE ATTACK NOBUNAGA, MITSUHIDE.
THAT IS MY LAST REQUEST.
.....
EVEN THIS LATE IN THE GAME,
YOU'RE STILL THINKING ABOUT NOBUNAGA?
THAT GUY IMPORTANT?
IS HE THE ONLY ONE YOU CAN SEE?!
YOU'RE WRONG!
SFX: pant pant

YOU'RE WRONG.
THAT'S NOT HOW IT IS, YOSHITATSU.
W...
WHAT ...?!
WHAT'S WITH THAT EXPRESSION?!!

What the?
Yoshitatsu is
ALL... SHAKEN UP?
WHAT THE HELL IS WITH YOU?!
ARE YOU PITYING ME... WITH THOSE EYES?!
SFX sip
!!?
EEK!
L-LET GO!
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO BY SHOWING ME PITY...?!
WHAT'S THE MATTER, YOSHI-TATSU?
ARE YOU SCARED?

SFX: grip
WHAT ...?
YOUR GRIP ON THE KATANA IS TOO WEAK!
IF YOU'RE GOING TO KILL SOMEONE, YOU HAVE TO APPLY PRESSURE HERE!
!
STOP...!
HMPH
WHAT IS IT?
YOU'RE TREMBLING, YOSHITATSU.
TCH!
SFX: pant pant pant
Don't be afraid.
This time has finally arrived, hasn't it?
The time when you can finally clear up all the feelings you've had for these long years.
Don't be afraid, Yoshitatsu. Don't start feeling doubt.

THE TIME WHEN YOU CAN GET REVENGE ON ME!!
HIT IT
THINK OF THIS TREE AS YOUR ENEMY AND HIT IT
I
I CAN'D
I CAN'D, FATHER
WAA HN
WAA HN
DON'T CRY, YOSHI-TATSU!

THIS TREE
HAS ALWAYS STOOD HERE AND WATCHED OVER THE RESIDENTS OF MINO
I CAN'T IMAGINE HITTING A TREE LIKE THAT
SFX roll
SFX smack
NO!
YOU IDIOT!
Hyaah
A TREE IS A TREE! WILL YOU BE ABLE TO SURVIVE IN THESE TROUBLED TIMES WHEN YOU THINK LIKE THAT?!
BEING KIND IS A WEAKNESS IN THE SENGOKU ERA.
MINO DOESN'T NEED WEAK PEOPLE LIKE YOU!!
Why

WHY DOESN'T FATHER LOVE ME?
BECOME STRONG.
IF YOU'RE GOING TO CALL YOURSELF THE SON OF THE PIT VIPER,
THEN DON'T ONLY DO THINGS THAT'LL DISHONOR MY NAME
THEN I'LL BE ACCEPTED
BY FATHER.
IF I GET STRONGER,
GET STRONGER AND SHOW ME A FIGHTING SPIRIT THAT'S POWERFUL ENOUGH TO SURPASS ME!

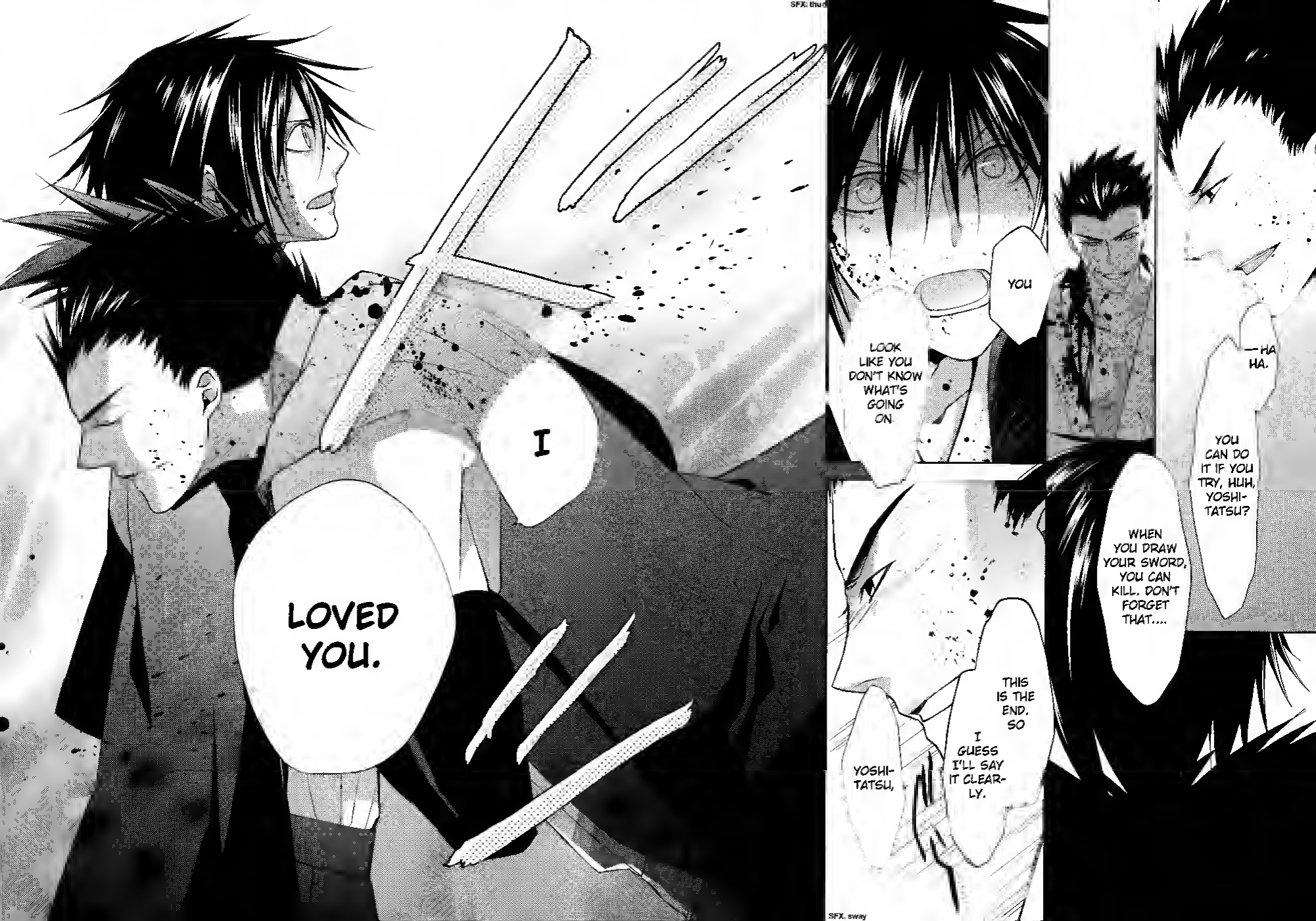
Several years later—
FATHER!
I'M HOME!
I DID IT...
MY FIRST BATTLE WAS A GREAT SUCCE—
SFX: rush
—He has never
put his hand on my shoulder like that.
Am I

SFX: flash
FATHER
ISN'T
MY REAL FATHER...?
SFX: thunder
NOT LOVED?
—WHAT?
HA... HA HA...
I'VE TRIED SO HARD TO PLEASE FATHER UP UNTIL NOW
I TOOK UP THE SWORD AND DECIDED TO GET STRONGER... AND YET
There was no reason for him to love me from the very start.
I'M A REAL IDIOT!!

HOW ABOUT POISONING THE PIT VIPER?
That's right.
I should kill him.
Together with that detestable Nobunaga.
YOU SAID TO SURPASS YOU
DIDN'T YOU?
YOU SAID IT.
FU... FUFU.
JUST AS YOU WISHED!!
THAT'S WHAT I'M GOING TO DO!

And yet,
W-
WHAT'S THIS?
WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME WITH THOSE EYES?!
STOP IT! STOP TAKING PITY ON ME!!
—DRAW OUT
YOUR SWORD, YOSHI-TATSU.

SFX: spurt
SFX: grip
CAN'T YOU HEAR ME?! PULL IT OUT!
AAAA
RGH


SFX. thu
I
LOVED YOU.
YOU
LOOK LIKE YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON.
—HA HA.
YOU CAN DO IT IF YOU TRY, HUH, YOSHI-TATSU?
WHEN YOU DRAW YOUR SWORD, YOU CAN KILL. DON'T FORGET THAT....
THIS IS THE END. SO I GUESS I'LL SAY IT CLEAR-LY.
YOSHI-TATSU,
SFX. sway